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# 2023 RELEASES

EC designs were done by Michael Mochizuki and Don Duncan. All graphics were done by Paul Conner, and dies etched and coins rolled by Cindy Calhoun of Cindy's Cents. All information cards were produced by Don Duncan. Laminated cards with copper coins produced by Vicky Bowser.

**DUKE PAOA KAHANAMOKU "HAWAIIAN WATERMAN" (January 2023)**

6-piece set, single design project rolled on Copper Cents, US Nickel, US dime, Hawaii Volcanoes National Park Quarter, One Krona Swedish coin and a Blue Duke Hawaiian Waterman Collectible Chip. A Pink Collectible Chip was offered separately. A limited edition of 50 sets were rolled and included a numbered information card.

A limited edition of 10 denominational sets were rolled and included all the coins in the 6-piece set PLUS a Presidential Golden Dollar, A Susan B. Anthony Dollar, a Sacagawea Dollar and a Pink Collectible Chip.

A limited edition laminated card with a copper cent was produced by Vicky Bowser.

**DUKE PAOA KAHANAMOKU "THE INTERNATIONAL DUKE" Hawaiian Waterman & Father of Modern Surfing (January 2023)**

5-coin set, single design, same as the Duke Hawaiian Waterman design, rolled on a Hawaii State Quarter, Sweden 1-Krona coin, Australia ½ Penny coin, New Zealand 5-cent coin and a California State Quarter. Coins selected represent the International locations where Duke statues or memorials are erected: Stockholm, Sweden, Waikiki Beach, Oahu, Hawaii, Freshwater, Australia, Huntington Beach, California and New Brighten Beach, New Zealand. Set includes a numbered information card. Thirty numbered sets were produced. Four by six inch photos of each location were included with each set.

A limited edition laminated card with copper cent was produced by Vicky Bowser.

**TOHOKU EARTHQUAKE AND TSUNAMI 12$^{TH}$ ANNIVERSARY SET (March 2023)**

Limited edition 4-piece elongated coin set with US Cent, Japan 1-Yen Aluminum plus two collectible chips, Red and Orange. Limited edition of 50 numbered sets included an information card. The "o" in the word "aloha" was painted in red to represent the Japan National Flag. This was the first set produced with QR codes printed on the information cards.

A limited edition laminated card with copper cent was produced by Vicky Bowser.
Fifteen "unpainted" sets were also produced.

**STAND WITH UKRAINE – CITY OF GOODNESS FUNDRAISING PROJECT (March 2022)**

This 3-piece set was produced as a fundraiser for the "City of Goodness" in Ukraine, rolled on a Copper Cent and Hawaii State Quarter. The set include a blue collectible chip and a numbered

information card. One Hundred Sets were produced with proceeds benefitting the City of Goodness international support center for the orphans of Ukraine, located in Chernivtsi. The “o” in “aloha” was painted to represent the Ukraine flag, blue on the top half of the “o” and yellow on the bottom half of the “o”. The chip features a sunflower and hibiscus (official flowers of Ukraine and Hawaii) at the top and the Ukraine and Hawaii State flags at the bottom of the chip design. Each set included a 4x6 Stand with Ukraine photo with a numbered sticker on the reverse side. Ten denominational sets were produced and distributed to the two collectors who funded the project with personal funds. Also, five unpainted sets were produced.

**442ND REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM-80TH ANNIVERSARY-ORGANIZED 1943-2023 (April 2022)**

This 5-piece limited edition elongated coin set includes 4 quarters and a collectible chip. Featured are an Edith Kanaka’ole American Woman quarter (2023), a Hawaii State quarter (2008), a Hawaii Volcanoes National Park quarter (2012), a Mississippi State Quarter (2002) and a 442ND 80th Anniversary Yellow Collectible Chip. Seventy five sets were produced and each set included a numbered information card and a 4x6 photo of the Go For Broke soldiers fronting ‘Iolani Palace in the Farewell gathering on March 28, 1943.

A limited number of laminated cards with copper cents were produced by Vicky Bowser.

A 5-piece “Dollar” set was produced with the design rolled on a Presidential Golden Dollar, a Susan B. Anthony Dollar, a Sacagewea Dollar, an Innovation Dollar and a black collectible chip. Ten sets were produced of the dollar coins.

**MERRIE MONARCH FESTIVAL 60TH ANNIVERSARY 1963-2023, HILO, HAWAII (April 2023)**

This 5-piece set consists of 4 coins and a collectible chip. Fifty sets were produced featuring an Edith Kanaka’ole American Women quarter on two coins (Hula Kane Kahiko and Hula Wahine Kahiko dancers), a Hawaii State quarter (King Kalakaua), Hawaii Volcanoes National Park quarter (Merrie Monarch 60th Anniversary logo) and a Yellow collectible chip. Numbered information cards were included with each elongated coin set.

Laminated cards were produced in limited quantities by Vicky Bowser.

A black collectible chip was produced for separate sales.

**EDDIE AIKAU – “EDDIE WOULD GO” (May 2023)**

Five piece set includes a Copper cent, Nickel, dime, Edith Kanaka’ole American Women quarter and a red collectible chip rolled with a single design Eddie Aikau design. 2023 is the 55th Anniversary of Eddie Aikau becoming the first City and County of Honolulu Ocean Safety Officer assigned to the North Shore of Oahu. Fifty sets were produced. Each set included a numbered information card and two 4x6 photos.

Ten Dollar Coin sets were produced, rolled on a Presidential Golden dollar, Susan B. Anthony dollar, Sacagawea dollar and an Innovation dollar and includes a yellow collectible chip.

Two different laminated cards with copper cents were produced in limited quantities by Vicky Bowser.

**“SKYLINE” HONOLULU RAIL INAUGURAL RUN JUNE 30, 2023, PHASE ONE – HONOLULU AUTHORITY FOR RAPID TRANSPORTATION (June / July 2023)**
This limited edition elongated set includes 7-pieces: Copper cent, 2023 Zinc cent, 2023 nickel, 2023 dime, 2023 Edith Kanaka’ole American women quarter, Presidential golden dollar and a blue collectible chip. The set includes a numbered information card and two 4x6 photos. Forty sets were produced.

Another set was produced featuring a 2023 Elongated Kennedy Half dollar and a green collectible chip. Fifty half dollar sets were produced and includes a clear flip with a numbered insert. The elongated half dollar features the 2023 date and the Kennedy profile on the reverse side of the elongated coin.

A limited quantity of PNCs were produced with a copper cent, and was postmarked at the Kapolei Post office on June 30, 2023. The USPS Railroad Stations postage stamp was affixed to each PNC, and the cachet is a 2x3 photograph.

Two different laminated cards were produced with the Skyline copper cent, one features the Skyline rail car and the other features a replica of a HOLO card.

**RELL KAPOILOKA’EHUKAI SUNN – “THE QUEEN OF MAKAHA” – WOMEN’S SURFING PIONEER (July 2023)**
This 5-piece elongated set consists of a Copper cent, nickel, dime, Edith Kalana’ole American Women quarter and a blue collectible chip. This single design project features a Rell Sunn portrait in vertical format with “RELL SUNN 1950-1998”. Numbered information cards and two 4x6 photos were included with each set.

A limited edition of 10 sets were rolled on three different dollar coins: Presidential Golden dollar, Susan B. Anthony dollar and Sacagawea dollar coins and included a yellow collectible chip.

A laminated card with copper cent featuring a black and while portrait of Rell Sunn was produced by Vicky Bowser. Each laminated card features a biography of her life on the reverse side.

**ALOHA FOR MAUI – A FUNDRAISING PROJECT TO RAISE FUNDS FOR THE MAUI WILDFIRES OF AUGUST 8, 2023 (August / September 2023)**
This elongated coin set consists of 6-pieces: Copper cent, nickel, dime, Edith Kanaka’ole American Women quarter, Presidential Golden dollar and a black collectible chip. Fifty sets were produced and included a numbered information card. The information card features a QR code with a short video.

Also produced was a 2023 Kennedy Half dollar set with an elongated Kennedy Half dollar and a pink collectible chip. The coin included a clear flip and a numbered insert. Fifty Kennedy sets were produced.
A laminated card with copper cent was produced by Vicky Bowser.

**PEARL HARBOR 82$^{ND}$ ANNNIVERSARY 1942-2023, "REMEMBER PEARL HARBOR" (October 2023)**
This elongated set consists of 5-pieces: Copper cent, nickel, dime, Edith Kanaka'ole American Woman quarter and a blue 82$^{nd}$ Anniversary collectible chip. Included a numbered information card. This year's theme is "Remember Pearl Harbor" and features a vintage decal with the popular patriotic cry. Limited edition of 50 coin sets produced.

Ten "Dollar Sets" were produced and included a rolled Presidential Golden dollar, a Susan B. Anthony dollar, a Sacagawea dollar and a red collectible chip, 4 items in all.

Also produced was a 2023 Kennedy Half dollar with a black collectible chip. Fifty of these sets were made, with the coins in a clear flip with a numbered insert.

A limited quantity laminated card with a copper cent were produced.

**MELE KALIKIMAKA 2023 – CHRISTMAS PINEAPPLE (November 2023)**
"Pineapple Christmas Tree" features a pineapple formed by plumeria flowers, bordered by an Ilima flower lei.
A laminated card with copper cent was produced in limited quantities.
Limited quantities of denominational sets rolled.

**HAUOLI MAKAHIKI HOU 2024 – "2024 FIREWORKS" (November 2023)**
"Hau'oli Makahiki Hou 2024" bordered with a hisbiscus flower lei, with fireworkds star bursts in the background.
Limited quantities of denominational sets rolled.

**MAUI STRONG – "It's a MARATHON, Not a Sprint! The Recovery Continues!" Holiday Fundraising Project (November 2023)**
Second fundraising project for the Maui Wildfires Disaster. Features the Hawaii Community Foundation logo (clasped hands forming a heart and MAUI STRONG theme).
Pink and green collectible chips produced; pink representing the color for the Island of Maui, and green representing the Lahaina Banyan Tree.

Limited quantity of "Chip & Copper" sets were offered with either a pink chip or a black chip and a copper cent.
Limited quantity of laminated cards with copper cent produced.

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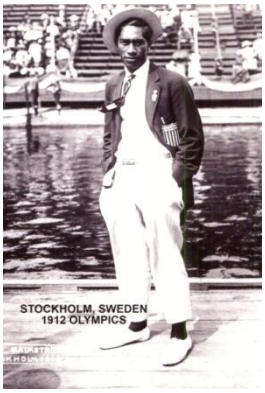


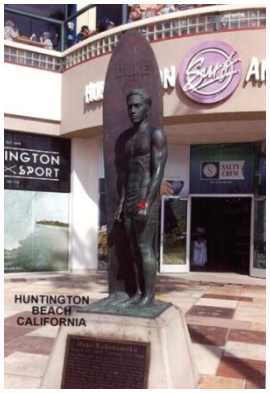


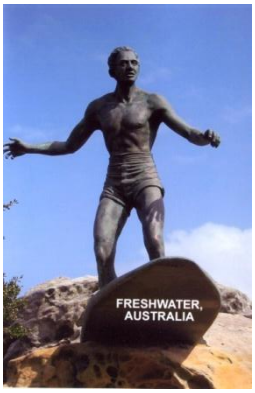


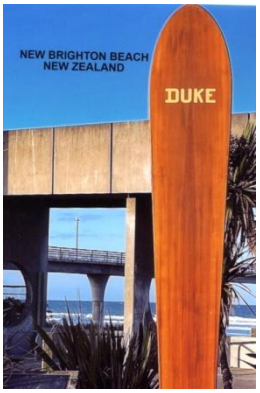



## DUKE PAOA KAHANAMOKU - "THE INTERNATIONAL DUKE"

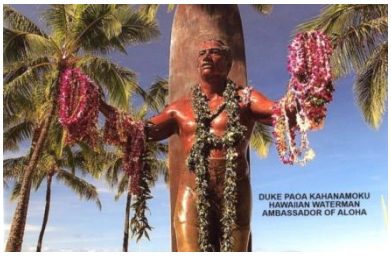








**Duke Paoa Kahanamoku**
**The International Duke**
Hawaiian Waterman & The Father of Modern Surfing
2023 Elongated 5-Coin Set

DUKE HAWAIIAN WATERMAN

**Limited Edition elongated coin set rolled on a Hawaii State Quarter, Sweden 1-Krona coin, Australia ½ Penny coin, New Zealand 5-cent coin and a California State Quarter.**

**Duke Kahanamoku, Stockholm, Sweden, July 6, 2012**
On this day in 1912, Hawai'i's legendary waterman Duke Kahanamoku swam the 100-meter freestyle in his first Olympic Games in Stockholm, Sweden. Credited with introducing a new swimming style to the world, Duke's powerful kick and full stroke won him his first gold medal in this event and a silver medal in the 4×200-meter freestyle relay. The dream of Olympic Surfing started with Duke Kahanamoku, an Olympic Gold Medalist in swimming and native Hawaiian known as the father of modern Surfing. Duke first expressed his dream at the 1912 Summer Olympics in Stockholm to one day see Surfing included in the Games.


*Stockholm, Sweden*

*Waikiki Beach, Oahu, Hawaii*

*Freshwater, Australia*

**Duke Kahanamoku Statue, Waikiki Beach, Oahu, Hawaii**
A bronze, larger-than-life statue of Duke Paoa Kahanamoku, "Ambassador of Aloha," stands in front of a bronze surfboard along the beach in Waikiki, Hawaii's most famous athlete went to the Olympics four times, and is called the Father of Modern Surfing. It is one of the Most Photographed Landmarks in Hawaii. The cast bronze figure was sculpted by Jan Gordon Fisher, an artist, and professor from Westwood, California. It shows the waterman standing in front of his surfboard, welcoming everyone with open arms, surrounded by honorary Hawaiian spears and dedication plaques.

**Duke Kahanamoku Statue, Freshwater, Australia**
The statue and commemorative park are dedicated to Duke Kahanamoku who first demonstrated surfboard riding in 1914. The Park and mosaics are also dedicated to Australians who have held major surfing titles in the 30 years since 1964. Duke Kahanamoku Park on the Northern Headland of Freshwater Beach became part of the Manly-Freshwater World Surfing Reserve on Saturday, 10 March 2012.

**Duke Paoa Kahanamoku** (1890–January 22,1968) was a Native Hawaiian competition swimmer who popularized the ancient Hawaiian sport of surfing. He was a five-time Olympic medalist in swimming. Duke won a gold medal in the 100 meters freestyle in the 1912 Olympics in Stockholm, and a silver with the relay team. During the 1920 Olympics in Antwerp, he won gold medals both in the 100 meters, and in the relay. He finished the 100 meters with a silver medal during the 1924 Olympics in Paris. Between Olympic competitions, and after retiring from the Olympics, Kahanamoku traveled internationally, particularly Australia and the United States, to give swimming exhibitions. It was during this period that he popularized the sport of surfing, previously known only in Hawaii, by incorporating surfing exhibitions into these visits. His surfing exhibition at Sydney's Freshwater Beach on December 23, 1914 is widely regarded as the most significant day in the development of surfing in Australia. The board Kahanamoku used is retained by the Freshwater Surf Club.

**The Duke Kahanamoku Statue, Huntington Beach, California**
Located at the corner of Pacific Coast Highway and Main Street and in front of a shopping complex known as Pierside Pavilion is a life-size statue of Duke Kahanamoku made of bronze and standing on a concrete plinth. Duke stands in front of a longboard (surfboard). Surrounding the statue are a number of plaques and handprints in concrete that make up the 'Surfing Hall of Fame' in this corner square.

**Duke Surfboard New Brighton Beach, Christchurch, New Zealand**


*Huntington Beach, California*

*New Brighton Beach, NZ*

*King St. and Pensacola St. Honolulu*

**Fulfillment of Duke's Olympic Dream**
It was the worst of surf. It was the best—no, make that the gnarliest—of surf. And that progression from one to the other made all the difference in the Tokyo Olympics for Hawai'i surfer Carissa Moore. For Moore, and her U.S. teammate John John Florence, the Olympics was a dream fulfilled, not just for themselves but for Duke Kahanamoku, who famously lobbied the International Olympic Committee for a surfing competition after winning his first gold medal in swimming in 1912. The mural "He'e Nalu: Two Hawaiian Olympians" was created by artist Kamea Hadar and illustrates dual portraits of Carissa Moore and Duke Kahanamoku. Moore made history by becoming the first women's Olympic gold medalist in surfing this year as the sport made its debut at the Tokyo 2020 Summer games. Duke Kahanamoku was the first Native Hawaiian Olympian – a two-time silver medalist and three-time gold medalist in swimming – and is also the waterman credited with sharing the sport of surfing across the globe. The massive 100-foot by 60-foot mural depicts both figures proudly wearing their gold medals won over a century apart. The five stars on Moore's shoulder represent her five world titles in the World Surfing League. Tucked behind her ear she wears the līlīma, or yellow hibiscus, the state flower of Hawaii. At the bottom of the piece is an image of Moore surfing, illustrating her prowess in technical surfing that characterizes the modern-day progression of the sport. (Photo: Business Wire)

**Limited Edition of 30 sets: This is set # _____**

# TOHOKU EARTHQUAKE AND TSUNAMI 12TH ANNIVERSARY, 2011-2023










Tohoku Earthquake & Tsunami
Sendai, Miyagi Prefecture, Japan
12th Anniversary Elongated Coin Set - US Cent & Japanese 1-Yen Aluminum plus two Collectible Chips
March 11, 2011 - 2023

JAPAN aloha HAWAII

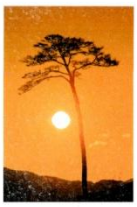
On March 11, 2011, Japan experienced the strongest earthquake in its recorded history. The magnitude 9.0 earthquake struck below the North Pacific Ocean, 130 kilometers (81 miles) east of Sendai, the largest city in the Tohoku region, a northern part of the island of Honshu.

The Tohoku earthquake caused a tsunami. A tsunami — Japanese for "harbor wave"—is a series of powerful waves caused by the displacement of a large body of water. Most tsunamis, like the one that formed off Tohoku, are triggered by underwater tectonic activity, such as earthquakes and volcanic eruptions. The Tohoku tsunami produced waves up to 40 meters (132 feet) high,

More than 450,000 people became homeless as a result of the tsunami. More than 15,500 people died. The tsunami also severely crippled the infrastructure of the country. In addition to the thousands of destroyed homes, businesses, roads, and railways, the tsunami caused the meltdown of three nuclear reactors at the Fukushima Daiichi Nuclear Power Plant. The Fukushima nuclear disaster released toxic radioactive materials into the environment and forced thousands of people to evacuate their homes and businesses.




**Special Limited Edition #_____ of 50 sets**


*The monument to the "Miracle Pine," the only tree that survived in a coastal forest flattened by the deadly tsunami in March 2011 in northeastern Japan is pictured in Rikuzentakata, Iwate Prefecture, on March 11, 2022, the 11th anniversary of the earthquake, tsunami and nuclear disaster that devastated the country's northeast. (Kyodo)*

***SUKIYAKI*** - This song was used as a means of encouragement after the terrible 2011 Tohoku earthquake. One such example is ***Sing Out from Japan***, a group of musicians from the affected area. They recorded the song as an expression of gratitude for the international support and to encourage fellow countrymen.

SING OUT FROM JAPAN - YOUTH CONCERT VERSION ORIGINAL- KYU SAKAMOTO

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## STAND WITH UKRAINE – CITY OF GOODNESS FUNDRAISING PROJECT



Stand with Ukraine

City of Goodness
Chernivtsi, Ukraine

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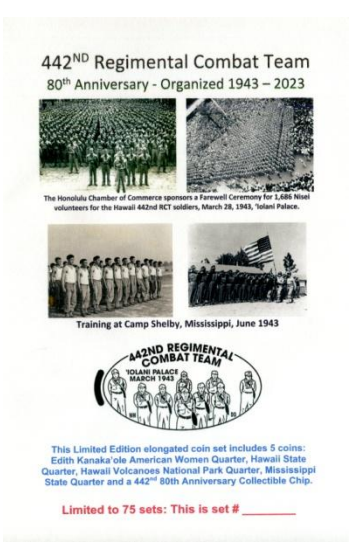


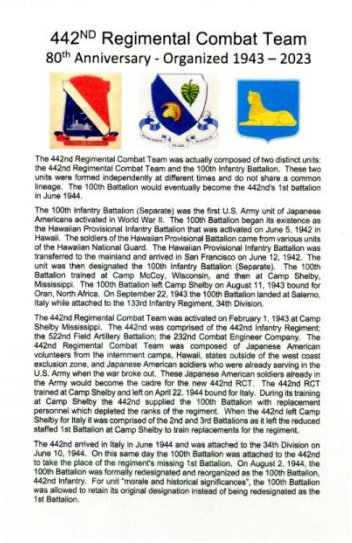

## 442ND REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM – 80TH ANNIVERSARY ORGANIZED 1943-2023



442ND REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM
'IOLANI PALACE
MARCH 1943
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***BATTLE HISTORY***

**The 442nd Regimental Combat Team and the 100th Infantry Battalion (Separate) were involved in five major battle campaigns during the war. These were:**

**MEDITERRANEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS**
**Naples-Foggia Campaign**: September 1943 to January 1944 (100th Battalion)
**Rome-Arno Campaign**: January 25, 1944 to September 1944 (100th Battalion, 442nd RCT)
**EUROPEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS**
**Rhineland Campaign-Vosges**: October 10, 1944 to November 1944
**Rhineland Campaign-Maritime Alps**: November 21, 1944 to March 17, 1945
**MEDITERRANEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS**
**Northern Appennines Campaign**: April 1-4, 1945 (442nd Regiment less 522nd Field Artillery Battalion)
**Po Valley Campaign**: April 5, 1945 to May 5, 1945 (442nd Regiment less 522nd Field Artillery Battalion).
(Considered as one campaign: Po Valley)



| The 100th Infantry Battalion/442nd Regimental Combat Team | |
|---|---|
| Number of men who served: | **~18,000** |
| Combat casualty rate: | **314%** |
| Individual Awards | # |
| Medal of Honor | 21 |
| Distinguished Service Cross | 29 |
| Silver Star Medal | 560 |
| Silver Star Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster (in lieu of second Silver Star) | 28 |
| Legion of Merit Medal | 22 |
| Soldier's Medal | 15 |
| Bronze Star Medal | 4,000 |
| Bronze Star Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster (in lieu of second Bronze Star) | 1,200 |
| Purple Heart | 9,486 |
| Army Commendation Medal | 36 |
| Division Commendation | 87 |
| Unit Awards | # |
| Presidential Unit Citation | 7 |
| Meritorious Service Unit Commendation | 2 |

# MERRIE MONARCH FESTIVAL 60TH ANNIVERSARY 1963-2023
# HILO, HAWAII





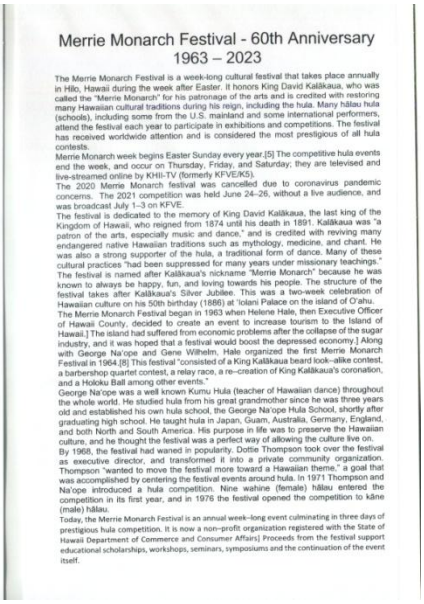










Merrie Monarch Festival - 60th Anniversary
1963 – 2023

The Merrie Monarch Festival is a week-long cultural festival that takes place annually in Hilo, Hawaii during the week after Easter. It honors King David Kalākaua, who was called the "Merrie Monarch" for his patronage of the arts and is credited with restoring many Hawaiian cultural traditions during his reign, including the hula. Many hālau hula (schools), including some from the U.S. mainland and some international performers, attend the festival each year to participate in exhibitions and competitions. The festival has received worldwide attention and is considered the most prestigious of all hula contests.

Merrie Monarch week begins Easter Sunday every year.[5] The competitive hula events end the week, and occur on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday; they are televised and live-streamed online by KHII-TV (formerly KFVE/K5).

The 2020 Merrie Monarch festival was cancelled due to coronavirus pandemic concerns. The 2021 competition was held June 24–26, without a live audience, and was broadcast July 1–3 on KFVE.

The festival is dedicated to the memory of King David Kalākaua, the last king of the Kingdom of Hawaii, who reigned from 1874 until his death in 1891. Kalākaua was "a patron of the arts, especially music and dance," and is credited with reviving many endangered native Hawaiian traditions such as mythology, medicine, and chant. He was also a strong supporter of the hula, a traditional form of dance. Many of these cultural practices "had been suppressed for many years under missionary teachings." The festival is named after Kalākaua's nickname "Merrie Monarch" because he was known to always be happy, fun, and loving towards his people. The structure of the festival takes after Kalākaua's Silver Jubilee. This was a two-week celebration of Hawaiian culture on his 50th birthday (1886) at 'Iolani Palace on the island of O'ahu.

The Merrie Monarch Festival began in 1963 when Helene Hale, then Executive Officer of Hawaii County, decided to create an event to increase tourism to the Island of Hawaii.[ The island had suffered from economic problems after the collapse of the sugar industry, and it was hoped that a festival would boost the depressed economy.] Along with George Na'ope and Gene Wilhelm, Hale organized the first Merrie Monarch Festival in 1964.[8] This festival "consisted of a King Kalākaua beard look–alike contest, a barbershop quartet contest, a relay race, a re–creation of King Kalākaua's coronation, and a Holoku Ball among other events."

George Na'ope was a well known Kumu Hula (teacher of Hawaiian dance) throughout the whole world. He studied hula from his great grandmother since he was three years old and established his own hula school, the George Na'ope Hula School, shortly after graduating high school. He taught hula in Japan, Guam, Australia, Germany, England, and both North and South America. His purpose in life was to preserve the Hawaiian culture, and he thought the festival was a perfect way of allowing the culture live on.

By 1968, the festival had waned in popularity. Dottie Thompson took over the festival as executive director, and transformed it into a private community organization. Thompson "wanted to move the festival more toward a Hawaiian theme," a goal that was accomplished by centering the festival events around hula. In 1971 Thompson and Na'ope introduced a *hula* competition. Nine wahine (female) hālau entered the competition in its first year, and in 1976 the festival opened the competition to kāne (male) hālau.

Today, the Merrie Monarch Festival is an annual week–long event culminating in three days of prestigious hula competition. It is now a non–profit organization registered with the State of Hawaii Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs] Proceeds from the festival support educational scholarships, workshops, seminars, symposiums and the continuation of the event itself.









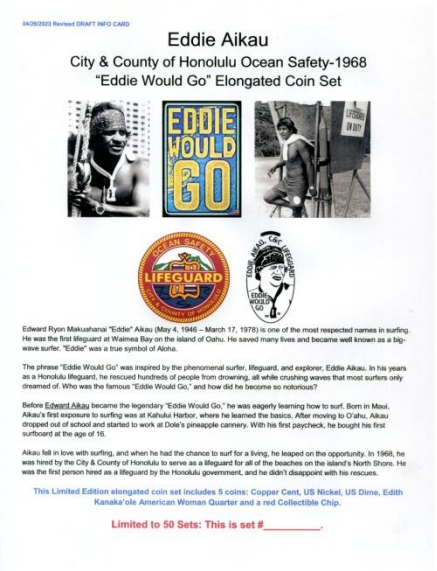


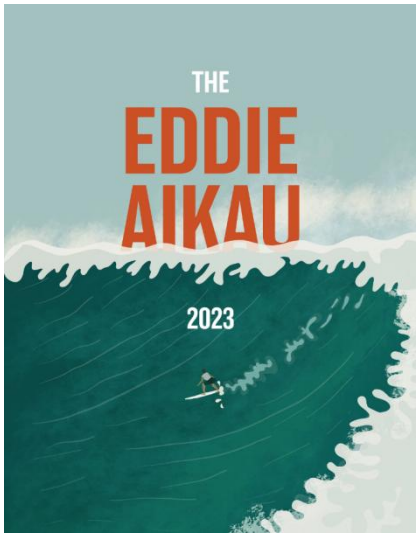

# EDDIE AIKAU – "EDDIE WOULD GO"



















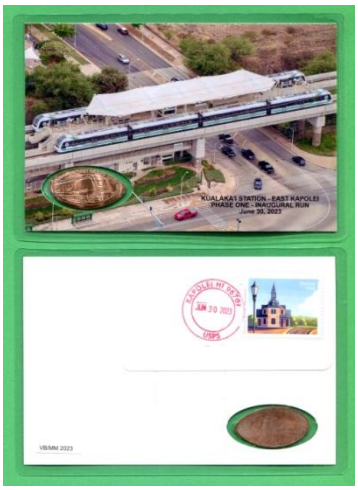


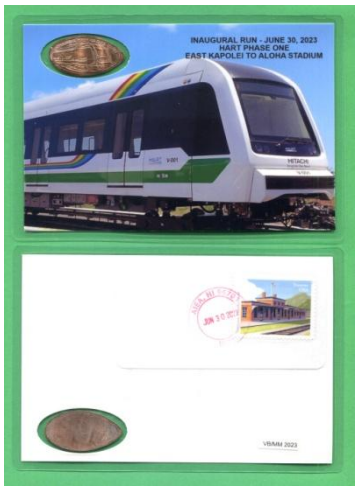
# "SKYLINE" HONOLULU RAIL INAUGURAL RUN, JUNE 30, 2023, PHASE ONE – HONOLULU AUTHORITY FOR RAPID TRANSPORTATION (HART)



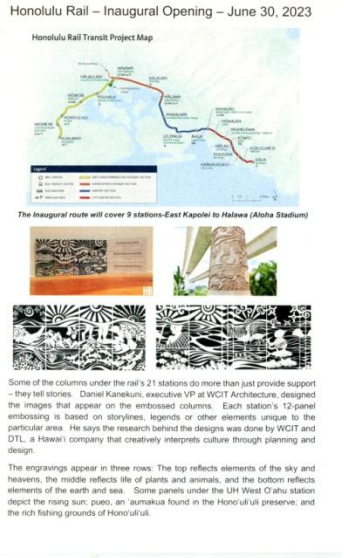












# RELL KAPOILOKA'EHUKAI – "THE QUEEN OF MAKAHA"
# WOMEN'S SURFING PIONEER





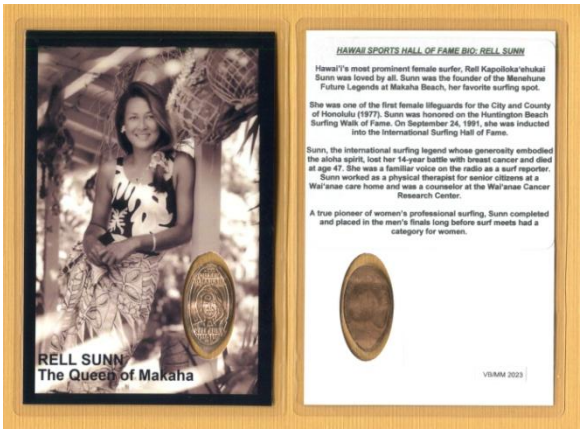












# ALOHA FOR MAUI – A FUNDRAISING PROJECT TO RAISE FUNDS FOR THE MAUI WILDFIRES DISASTER OF AUGUST 8, 2023





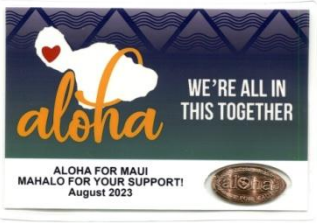


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Aloha WEDNESDAY 8/9/23

Bus driver shortage creates frustrating commute for students

HPD solo bike officer dies from injuries sustained in July 11 traffic accident

The Rainbow Wahine volleyball team hits the court for intensive first day of practice

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LAHAINA BURNS

Hurricane Dora passes well south of the state, but brings powerful gusts of up to 60 mph

Hawaii Island, Maui and Oahu residents contend with fires and power outages

By Nina Wu

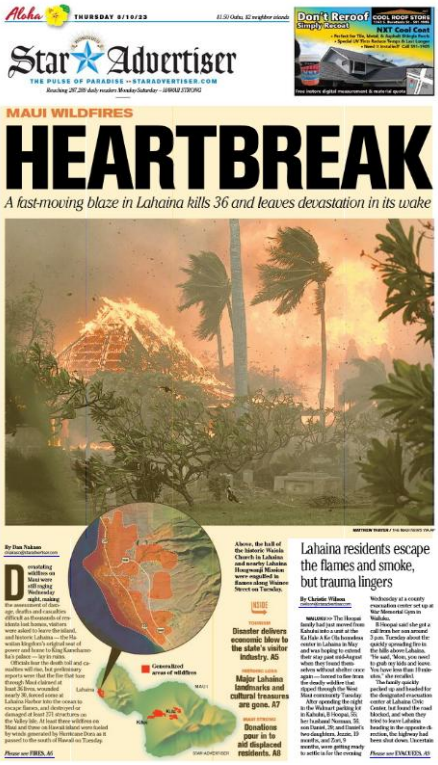
KOHALA RANCH, HAWAII ISLAND

KING STREET CATHOLIC CEMETERY, OAHU

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Skimmers are stealing credit card information in Honolulu

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MAUI WILDFIRES

HEARTBREAK

A fast-moving blaze in Lahaina kills 36 and leaves devastation in its wake

By Dan Nakaso

Generalized areas of wildfires

Lahaina residents escape the flames and smoke, but trauma lingers

By Christie Wilson

Major Lahaina landmarks and cultural treasures are gone. A7

Donations pour in to aid displaced residents. A8


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MAUI WILDFIRES

'IT'S ALL GONE'

There are 55 confirmed fatalities with "upwards of 1,700" buildings destroyed so far

By Dan Nakaso

Over 3,000 homes could need to be replaced

By Andrew Gomes

Maria Lanakila Catholic Church still stands. B1

Teams deployed to help recover fire victims. A10

Maui residents pull together to help. A10

Outages cause problems for West Maui hotels. A11

Donation drive continues today at state Capitol. A11

# PEARL HARBOR 82ND ANNIVERSARY 1941-2023
# "REMEMBER PEARL HARBOR"
# 5-PIECE SET WITH BLUE CHIP












07/11/2023 draft

## Remember Pearl Harbor

### 82nd Anniversary of the Pearl Harbor Attack 1941-2023

### Elongated Coin Set



The attack on the island of O'ahu by the Japanese military on December 7, 1941 was a pivotal event in 20th century world history. Although it was a shocking surprise, there had been serious warnings of the potential of war between the U.S. and Japan since at least 1939.

Civilians on O'ahu, for the most part, were not in immediate danger on December 7th, and those who could see Pearl Harbor (or the Kāne'ohe Naval Air Base on the Windward-side) watched the smoky destruction with amazement and fear. The Japanese had to focus strictly on attacking military targets, but errant American anti-aircraft shells caused the accidental deaths of nearly 60 citizens on O'ahu.

The effects of the sudden war on the population were profound. "Remember Pearl Harbor" became a national rallying cry to support the war in general. Throughout the Hawaiian Islands, military rule was strict and authoritarian after martial law was instituted just hours after the attack on Pearl Harbor ended. One new requirement was that all civilians were to have a gas mask at all times. This was due to the fear of an attack with poison gas which had been used horrifically in Europe in World War I. Hawai'i remained under martial law until October 1944 despite the war continuing until August 1945, when the Japanese surrendered after the U.S. dropped atomic bombs on Hiroshima and Nagasaki.

Remember Pearl Harbor was a slogan or saying popular in the United States after the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor on December 7, 1941. Commander Lewis Preston Harris first coined the phrase "Remember Pearl Harbor".

It was also the name of a song by artist Sammy Kaye, sometimes cited as "Let's Remember Pearl Harbor," recorded ten days after the outbreak of the war.

Another song of the same title was written by Frank Luther and performed by Carson J. Robison and his orchestra.

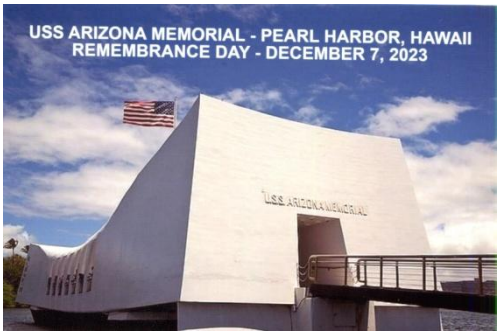
**This Limited Edition elongated coin set includes 6 pieces:**
**Copper Cent, US Nickel, US Dime, Edith Kanaka'ole American Woman Quarter, Presidential Golden Dollar and a 82nd Anniversary Collectible Chip.**

**Limited to 50: sets: This is set #_____**

## Remember Pearl Harbor – 82nd Anniversary

After the December 7, 1941, bombing of the military base at Pearl Harbor, Americans rallied around the war effort with the patriotic cry, "Remember Pearl Harbor." Thousands of buttons or lapel pins and decals were distributed to remind Americans of the tragic event and to solidify the war efforts.







**82nd ANNIVERSARY ROLLED ON A KENNEDY HALF DOLLAR, WITH BLACK CHIP, INCLUDES CLEAR FLIP WITH NUMBERED INSERT**




**4-PIECE "DOLLAR COIN SET" WITH RED CHIP**




**GRAY CHIP, PRODUCED BUT NOT USED IN ANY 82ND ANNIVERSARY SET**

## MELE KALIKIMAKA 2023 – CHRISTMAS PINEAPPLE










## HAUOLI MAKAHIKI HOU 2024 – "FIREWORKS 2024"







## MAUI STRONG – "It's a MARATHON, Not a Sprint! The Recovery Continues!"
## Holiday Fundraising Project with Hawaii Community Foundation




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